



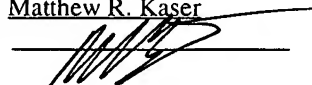
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In re U.S. Application of:

Dzeng, E., Xing, F., March, J., Islam, M.R., and Michel, R.

Title: Transesophageal Heat Exchange Catheter For Cooling of the Heart

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RESPONSE TO FIFTH OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This is a response to the Office Communication mailed 12th June, 2008. Applicant respectfully petitions for a one (1)-month extension of time within which to respond to the Office Communication such extension allowing the undersigned until October 12, 2007 to respond.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Bell & Associates Deposit Account No. 50-3194.

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